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Merry Go Round
in
Wonderland

There
awaits a
magical
world.

In that
direction
of the
door,



There is a
person
who is will-
ing to wait
for me.

MORNING,
HARUKO.

OH.



Is a unique person

THEN, JUST NOW, WHAT WERE YOU DOING ON YOUR CELL PHONE?



AH.

LOOK!

WAKIKO'S FACE IS WEIRD!

KATSUAKI SENSEI!

REALLY?

Nabuko senpai

Older than me by a year, a 2nd year student and

the Camera Club President



AH, I CAN'T I DON'T HAVE ANY MONEY.

BUT SENSEI, YOU DON'T EVEN HAVE A CELL PHONE. THAT IS JUST TOO BEHIND.

Like that, that thought

WAKIKO, YOU SHOULD STOP USING THE CELL PHONE ON DIGITAL CAMERA. SO BUY A HANDHELD CAMERA. THAT WOULD BE BETTER WOULDN'T IT?

WILL COME OUT TO BE VERY PRETTY, BUT IT JUST DOESN'T COME OUT RIGHT.

THE CLOUDS IN THE SKY... THE WEATHER IS SO GOOD. SO I THOUGHT THE PICTURE

AH, HOWEVER, THE LENS IS SO SMALL.



In Junior High, he began a relationship and now has a

WOULDN'T IT BE INCONVENIENT? DIDN'T SENPAI'S GIRLFRIEND ASK YOU TO BUY A GILL PACKET

BUT WHAT IF YOU SUDDENLY NEED TO SEND A MESSAGE OR SOMETHING.

REALLY? HOWEVER I DON'T THINK IT CAUSES ANY INCONVENIENCES.

Other than a camera, he doesn't have any other electronic devices

Girlfriend

EH.

THAT WOULDN'T HAPPEN.

In other word is.

HAIRLINO.

2nd Science Room

Only my one-sided love



WOW, THE PICTURE FROM THE CONVENTION!

THAT GUY DOESN'T LIKE TO TAKE PICTURES, THEREFORE IT TOOK A LOT OF ENERGY TO GET THIS.

Atsushi
Sawada



THEN, THE PICTURE IS HERE.

AH.

THE LONG AWAITED THING.

SEMPAI,
HELLO.



THAT GUY MAYBE ALREADY BEGS UP WITH HIS GIRLFRIEND.

HOWEVER, IT LOOKS LIKE HE HAS BEEN PUMPED.



IT IS TRULY SAD HEARING.



HOW LONG WILL THAT HOMELESS ONE-STARRED LOVE LAST?

THE PARTNER ALREADY HAS A GIRL-FRIEND

AH, YOU DON'T KNOW?



WHEW! DON'T LET YOUR GIRLFRIEND ASK YOU TO BRING A CAT HOME!

NOPE!

What have I done!

HAPESSACH-SENPAI!



HOWEVER HIS GIRLFRIEND IS IN ANOTHER SCHOOL.

SO IT IS NO SURPRISE THAT YOU DON'T KNOW.

AAHH!

Oh no!



SENPAI!

I'M SORRY.

WHY DO YOU LIKE THESE KINDS OF PLACES?

I'M AFRAID OF HIGH PLACES!

POOR!

SENPAI!

OH, WHAT IS IT?





I WILL MAKE
GENDAI HAPPY.



NO WAY?
REALLY?

CONFESSED
TO NATSUKI
GENDAI?



Said...I said it



LAUGHED?



THEN
WHAT DID
SENPAI
SAID?

HE
LAUGHED.



HARUKO IS
SUCH A
GOOD
GIRL...

LIKE
THAT.

IS
THAT
SO?
TRYING TO COM-
FORT ME?

NO
THAT'S
NOT?



WAAH
NATSUME!

HARUKO.

SENPAI
WHAT IS
THAT?

TODAY THE
CAMERA
CLUB'S AC-
TIVITY WILL
BE A MEET-
ING.



BUT TO
NOT EVEN
LOOK AT
ME, THEN
WHAT AM
I?

I KNOW
I'M NOT
HER LOVE
PART-
NER.

Of course
that's
Haruko.

Am I
going to
do from
now on?

Ah
What?



See
poi

IF
HAIKURO
ISN'T
THERE,
THEN THE
CLUB AC-
TIVITY WILL
BE VERY
BORING.

Wah wah!

OKAY,
LET'S GO.



Why are
you...

Camera
Club is
in
Minato
Park.

DOES HE
KNOW
WHAT HE IS
TALKING
ABOUT?

YOU TWO ARE
SLOW.



That's
great.

Vice-President

To +

CAMERA
CLUB'S
GROUP IS
ALREADY
DECIDED.

HAIKURO
AND KAT-
SUKE
WILL BE
TO-
GETHER.

HA!





HARUKO,
IS THE
CAMERA
READY??

AH, YES.

THIS IS MY
FIRST TIME
USING THIS
KIND OF
CAMERA.

SO I'M
A BIT
NERVOUS.

WHAT
IS IT?
YOU SEEM
LIKE YOU
ARE NOT
ENTHUSIASTIC.



Natsuaki
sempai will
be gone
soon.

Yes.

THEN,
EACH
GROUP
WILL BE
ON A
DIFFERENT
ROUTE.

SEPARATE.



LET'S GO,
HARUKO!!

PLAY TO
THE POINTS
WHERE!

NO
-88-



Being with
Sempai...

VERY
GOOD.

This kind of
opportunity
must be...



ANNOYING,
YOU ARE
THE ONE
WHO
FORCED ME
ON.

when
you were
not...

YOU
SHOULD
HAVE TOLD
ME
SOONER.

Always
says
this...

WAAH!

STUPID,
DON'T
STAND
UP!

AH...

BUT,
SENPAI, DID
YOU FORGET
THAT I'M
SCARED OF
HIGH
PLACES?

ONE
PICTURE.



WHA! THERE IS NO WAY.

THEN LATER, LET'S GO ON THAT

NO PROBLEM, NO PROBLEM, NO PROBLEM.

NO WAY, BEFORE IT MUST BE SOLVE!

WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY "NO PROBLEM"?



THAT WAY THE SUN WON'T SHINE THROUGH! GO A LITTLE LOWER

YES.



Can't handle him...

NO.

SERIAL LOOK HERE.



So much!



ALSO, WE
TOOK A LOT OF
PICTURES. WE
SHOULD GO
TOO.

THE SUN
ALREADY
SET.

AH,
MESSAGE.



THE
OTHER
PEOPLE
ALREADY
LEFT.



AH.

Already

Just
like
that.



Over?

LASTLY
THERE IS
STILL A
PLACE I
WANT TO
GO.

COME
WITH
ME.

HOW-
EVER,

ALREADY THIS
OLD, I HAVE
NO COURSE
TO RIDE IT.

HA
HA.

BEFORE,
WHEN I CAME
HERE, THE
LAST THING
I'D RIDE
WOULD BE
THE MERRY-
GO-ROUND.

YES.

MERRY-GO-
ROUND!!

IT CLEARLY
IS AN
IMPORTANT
THING.

WHAT
WOULD IT
DISAP-
PEAR?

BUT WHEN
I WAS
SMALL, I
THOUGHT
IT WAS
REALLY
FUN.

IT
ONLY
GOES
ROUND
AND
ROUND
LIKE
THAT.



THAT IS
WHY I
LIKE TO
TAKE PICTURES.

SO THE
PERSON WHO

IS TAKING
THE PICTURE'S
FEELINGS
WILL REMAIN.

NO MATTER
HOW MANY
YEARS, DE-
CADES,
THOSE FEEL-
INGS WILL
NEVER VANISH.

SENPAI

AMII

CLICK

GOT IT.

AMII!

SENPAI

Probably
don't look like
that boy

PLEASE LET
ME BE YOUR
GIRLFRIEND.



NO,
THAT
IS...
GIRL-
FRIEND...

UNTIL
GENPUS
MOVES
IS
ENOUGH.

I WANT TO
TALK TO YOU
AGAIN, AND
WANT TO BE
WITH YOU.

ARE YOU
FOR REAL?
THAT...

OF
COURSE!



THAT'S
RIGHT,
HARUKO
TOLD ME
BEFORE.

'I WILL LET
YOU BE
HAPPY.' IT
SOUNDS VERY
MUCH LIKE A
BOY.

WOW-
YOU DON'T
HAVE TO
REMEMBER
YOUR
PAST!

I GOT
IT.

WE'LL DO
WHAT
HARUKO
LIVES.

That seemingly down-the
hatch - I want to move

And under the light
Amusement park.



AH

The time
together



YES!!

I also want
to remain ...



TODAY IS
A FULL
MOON.

No matter how
many years, de-
cades that it will
never vanish.

LOOKS
LIKE IT.



**PUSH
YOURSELF
TO CLIMB
THIS
HORN!**

**YOU
DON'T
HAVE
TO**

PUSH YOURSELF TO CLIMB THIS MOUNTAIN!

YOU DON'T HAVE TO



I WANT TO EAT
THE SNOW CAKE
TOGETHER WITH
SEMPAL

GEE-GEEING
 DON'T BE LIKE
 THAT! THERE
 IS NO
 NEED TO BE
 BULLIED
 OVER THIS
 SMALL THING!

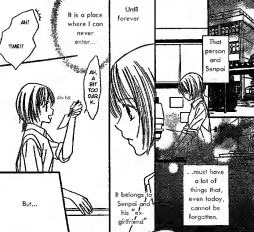
EH, IT TASTES
VERY GOOD.

SENSE-SENSATION
DON'T BE LIKE
THAT! THERE
IS NO
NEED TO BE
FASHION-
SICKE!
OVER THIS
SMALL T-SHIRT!

IF YOU SAY
IT LIKE THAT,
I WILL BE
SADDER-
RAGED!







YOU MET
YOUR
EX-
GIRL-
FRIEND.

WHAT
ARE YOU
SAYING?

ABOUT
YESTERDAY
...SORRY.

WHEN I
WAS CONSID-
ERING MOVING

ACTUALLY,
I DIDN'T
REALLY
THINK TOO
MUCH ABOUT
HER.

TO TELL THE
TRUTH, I
ONLY
THOUGHT
ABOUT
MYSELF.

IT REALLY
MAKES ME
FEEL EM-
BAR-
RASSSED.

SO, I CAN
LEARN A LOT
MORE ABOUT
CAMERA
AND TAKING
PICTURES, IT
MAKES ME FEEL
EXCITED.

AT KAMUYA,
MY GRAND-
FATHER HAS
A CAMERA
STORE...

ORIGINALLY,
BEING IN A RELA-
TIONSHIP WITH
SEPARATE
SCHOOL IS
ALREADY
TROUBLESOME
NOW, I ASK HER
TO HAVE A
LONG-DISTANCE
RELATIONSHIP

HER
FEELINGS
...IT WAS
ONLY AT
THAT TIME
I REALIZED
IT.





...IT IS NOT
WORTHLESS.

AL...

SAY
SOMETHING
WORTH-
LESS.

DON'T
SAY

YOU ARE
EMBARR-
ASSED.



BECAUSE
SHE
MUST
STILL...

WAKURO.

DO YOU WANT
TO COME WITH
ME TO KAMAYAT?







I'M
SORRY.

I know.

LIVING
TO YOU
LIKE
THAT...

IT IS MY
FAULT.

REALLY, HOW
CAN YOU SAY
THAT??



THANK
YOU.

I un-
der-
stand

That it
was im-
possible. But
even
so...

I want to
go with
you.
The things
she cannot
do...



THE INTER-
VIEW COM-
SISTS OF 6
PEOPLE
PER
ROUND.

PLEASE
FOLLOW
THE
NUMBER
YOU ARE
GIVEN.



I can do it, I
know I can.



I suddenly
forgot my
nervous-
ness.

But...

NUMBER
80.

YES!

DON'T
WORRY.

ON THE
OTHER SIDE
OF THE
DOOR,

THE HAPPY
HIGH SCHOOL
LIFE AWAITS
YOU.

Right.



I HOPE
YOU
ENTER
OUR
CLUB!

新入生歓迎会

AH, THIS
IS THE
CAMERA
CLUB.

It would
be nice
to see
him
again.

AH,
NEW
STU-
DENTS!

The ori-
entation
of the
school
was
blurry.

I thought
that if I
see him
again, I
might not
recognize
him.

But,

When we
met, I real-
ized...

The days that
were spent
with Senpai...

Were like
Merry-go-
Round...



MATELLOH!



That begin
with the
bright lights
on.

HARUKO SHOULD GO HELP SENPAI TOO!

WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT? SENPAI WILL FIT IN QUICKLY!

DON'T GO, SENPAI.

SENPAI IS GO FARE!

KOMATEKA TAKE THIS WITH YOU.

HARUKO, GO HELP SENPAI TOO!

I'M GOING OUT FOR A LITTLE BIT.

WHY AM I RUNNING AWAY?





KATSUMI
SENPAI



TO LEAVE
ME LIKE
THAT, DON'T
YOU KNOW
I'M ADULT

THAT?



IT IS
VERY
LONE
LY.

LIKE
THE
FEELING
WHEN I
AM
ABOUT
TO CRY.



EVEN
THOUGH IT
HASN'T
SOMETHING
BIG.

ALL

HERE.

THIS IS
FOR
HARUKO.

THE PIC-
TURES FROM
THE CLUB.

BUT, WHEN
YOU LOOK AT
THIS, PLEASE
REMEMBER
ME.



GOOD-
BYE..



This is
like...

Why?

"I like
taking
pictures."

"Re-
mem-
ber?"



That

The feeling
when taking a
picture...

Is
Sempai's
feelings.

"No matter how
many years, de-
cades, it will
never fade."

KATSURU
SENPAI

I WILL
NEVER
FORGET!

Is



EVEN IF
WHEN I
GROW
UP,

WHEN I'M
WITH GENPAL
MY HEART
BEATS
FASTER!

THE FEEL-
ING THAT
I HAVE
FOR
GENPAL...

ALL OF
IT...

I WILL NEVER
FORGET!



I ACTUALLY
DON'T WANT
TO HAVE A
GIRLFRIEND.

WHAT
ARE YOU
GOING
TO DO?

IT IS ALL BE-
CAUSE OF
HARUKO.

Sensei...

Is someone
special.



He changed my
world completely.



Always.

I will never
forget



HOW DO YOU
SEND A PIC-
TURE?

WHAT
ARE YOU
DOING?

AM?



Natsuedi senpai
How is the new en-
vironment?
Are you familiar
with it?

SHUT
UP.

Also you
looked up

YOU
DON'T
KNOW
HOW TO
DO THAT?

HA-
HAHA



Is still same o'
same o'

HARUKO?

But, I think I am
starting to like
high places, I go
there often

The Camera Club is
doing well

THE POSTER
IS UP. HELP
ME MOVE
THIS!

OHAYO.

Currently, we are
busy with advertising
next week's show

If Matsunosaka's concert is
here, it will be
great.

I'm only saying



I have a cell
phone now. I
call on it ev-
erbody.

Watashi



Merry's around with
my friend.

A world with color awaits us.

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